### **Springfield Primary Academy**

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back and happy new year!

# **Absence**

This is a polite reminder to please either, ring or call into the school office to let us know about absence, appointments, changes to school pick up or any other information we need to know. In order for us to safeguard your children, please make sure that anyone who is collecting your child is on the contact list that you completed for the school office. If someone who is not on your child's contact list comes to collect them, without the class teacher being informed by yourselves, we will not be able to let your child go with them. Thank you

## PE

Both classes have their PE lessons on a Tuesday and a Friday. All children are required to arrive at school on Tuesdays and Fridays already in their P.E kits. Please remove any earrings or cover with plasters for P.E days. If they are not removed/covered, for safety reasons, they will not be able to participate. For the rest of the week, school uniform should be worn at all times.

### Reading books, Phonics and Home Learning

Please continue to bring your child's book bag to school on a Wednesday. We will send them home every Thursday. If they do not come by Wednesday, we cannot guarantee your child's book will be changed that week. Please try to read your child's phonic reading book with them at least 3 times weekly. Practise makes perfect!

### Learning

Our topic this term is 'Wonderful Weather' in which we will be learning about the Winter, keeping warm, different types of weather, melting & freezing and cold places (Antarctica). We will also learn about Chinese New Year.

#### Twitter

We use Twitter to showcase our learning in school. We can be found using the handle @Springfield\_Pri. We try to post regularly to give you an idea of what we have been up to. For anyone who opted out of this but would like to see their child featured on our Twitter account, you can update your consent at the school office. No names will ever be published online.

#### Toys

We have lots of fabulous educational toys at school that are specifically designed to provide children with fun and valuable learning experiences, therefore it is unnecessary for them to bring toys from home. Please ensure that all personal toys remain at home as they often distract from

learning, cause arguments and get broken which in turn causes avoidable distress. Thank you for your understanding on this matter.

If you have any questions at all, please do not hesitate to ask a member of staff. Thank you.

Yours truly,

Mrs Carrington, Mrs Nicklin and Miss Evison.